

### **Local Situation Report**

Prepared: August 7, 2014 @ 1000

Local	GACC	Nat'l
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Today's Fire Danger	
High/very High	

# **INCIDENT SUMMARY for Yesterday**

	COUNTY AND STATE FIRES					
<u>Unit</u>	Inc Name	<u>Size</u>	IΩ	<u>Status</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
			Cause			

	MED BOW NATIONAL FOREST						
<u>Unit</u>	<u>Inc Name</u>	Size (Acres)	<u>Cause</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	
ВСН	Billy Creek	.10	L	Contatined	T.13N, R83W, Sec 15	E-621 responded and contatained.	

	WHPD BLM						
<u>Unit</u>	Inc Name	<u>Size</u>	<u>Cause</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	

### **Area Discussion:**

One new fire Saratoga area.

Lightning Map

# **INDICES** (forecasted/actual)

<u>FDRA</u>	Predicted Today			
	Indices	Forecasted for 08/07	Actual for 08/06	
Echeta	BI	45	42	
Rochelle Hills	ERC	10	0	
Rochelle Hills	BI	33	0	
Poker Creek	ERC	34	41	
Casper Mtn	ERC	41	51	
Fales Rock	BI	0	64	
Sandstone	ERC	N/A	57	
Esterbrook	ERC	48	45	
Sawmill Park	ERC	34	31	

## **Duty Officers for Today:**

	FS - Laramie	Gonnoud
	FS - Saratoga	Rogge
<u>Duty</u>	FS - Douglas	Westbrook
<u>Officers</u>	BLM	Ellis
	State	Graham
	FS – MBF NF	Bentley
	Dispatch	Neibauer

		Location	Status
Local Aviation	2TJ (Duncan) State	Duncan	Α
Resources	2HX (Rawlins) BLM	Rawlins	Α

### **Pumpkin Time for Aircraft for Today:**

	Sunrise	Sunset	Pumpkin Time
Gillette	0556	2019	2049
Casper	0603	2018	2048
Glenrock	0601	2017	2047
Laramie	0604	2012	2042

### **Fire Restriction for the zone:**

Agency	Date	Closed	Remarks
WEX	7/10		Weston Cnt open burning restrictions
BLM	7/10		BLM Lands Weston County
SHX	7/28		Open burning restrictions
JOX	7/17		Open burning restrictions
BLM	8/1		Open burning restrictions

## Weather Discussion

WYZ280 - NATRONA COUNTY/CASPER BLM

PERIODS OF MAINLY AFTERNOON AND EVENING SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS WILL CONTINUE INTO THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AS A COUPLE OF UPPER LEVEL DISTURBANCES DRIFT ACROSS THE AREA...THOUGH THE WEAKENED COVERAGE WILL PERMIT THE BEGINNING OF A WARMING TREND. RELATIVE HUMIDITY SHOULD REMAIN BELOW CRITICAL LEVELS WITH WINDS GENERALLY LIGHT TO MODERATE EXCEPT NEAR THUNDERSTORMS THROUGH THE WEEKEND.

#### . TODAY . . .

SKY/WEATHER......PARTLY CLOUDY. ISOLATED RAIN SHOWERS. ISOLATED THUNDERSTORMS AFTER 1200. SOME THUNDERSTORMS MAY PRODUCE HEAVY RAINFALL AFTER 1200. CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION 20 PERCENT.

MAX TEMPERATURE.....78-83.

24 HR TREND.....4 DEGREES WARMER.

MIN HUMIDITY......23-29 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....15 PERCENT DRIER.

20-FOOT WINDS......WEST WINDS AROUND 10 MPH UNTIL 0900...THEN

UPSLOPE/UPVALLEY 5-9 MPH UNTIL 1500...THEN WEST

AROUND 10 MPH. GUSTS UP TO 15 MPH.

RIDGE TOP WINDS.....WEST AROUND 10 MPH.

LAL.....1 UNTIL 1200...THEN 3.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.LESS THAN 5 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......5 OR MODERATE POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME

DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.

#### .TONIGHT...

SKY/WEATHER......PARTLY CLOUDY. SCATTERED SHOWERS AND
THUNDERSTORMS UNTIL 2400...THEN ISOLATED RAIN
SHOWERS. SOME THUNDERSTORMS MAY PRODUCE HEAVY
RAINFALL UNTIL 2400. CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION 30
PERCENT.

MIN TEMPERATURE....53-58.

24 HR TREND.....1 DEGREE COOLER.

MAX HUMIDITY......72-78 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....6 PERCENT DRIER.

HUMIDITY RECOVERY...EXCELLENT.

20-FOOT WINDS......WEST WINDS AROUND 10 MPH UNTIL 2400...THEN

DOWNSLOPE/DOWNVALLEY 4-7 MPH.

RIDGE TOP WINDS.....WEST AROUND 10 MPH UNTIL 2400...THEN EAST UNTIL

0300...THEN SOUTHWEST.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.LESS THAN 5 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......5 OR MODERATE POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME

DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.

## Weather Discussion

WYZ301 -

NIOBRARA/LOWER ELEVATIONS OF CONVERSE/THUNDER BASIN NATIONAL GRASSLAND

AN UNSETTLED WEATHER PATTERN WILL KEEP FIRE WEATHER CONCERNS AT A MINIMUM THROUGH AT LEAST THE WEEKEND. MONSOON MOISTURE WILL YIELD DAILY CHANCES FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS DURING THE AFTERNOON AND EVENING HOURS. WETTING RAINS ARE LIKELY FOR MANY AREAS AT SOME POINT AS STORMS WILL BE EFFICIENT RAIN PRODUCERS. TEMPERATURES WILL GENERALLY BE IN THE 75 TO 85 DEGREE RANGE FOR LOWER ELEVATIONS.

ISSUED BY WFO CHEYENNE

WYZ301 -

NIOBRARA/LOWER ELEVATIONS OF CONVERSE/THUNDER BASIN NATIONAL GRASSLAND-

335 AM MDT THU AUG 7 2014

#### . TODAY . . .

SKY/WEATHER......PARTLY CLOUDY UNTIL 1500...THEN MOSTLY CLOUDY.

PATCHY FOG UNTIL 0900. CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND
THUNDERSTORMS AFTER 1200.

MAX TEMPERATURE.....80-85.

24 HR TREND.....6 DEGREES WARMER.

MIN HUMIDITY......26-32 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....23 PERCENT DRIER.

20-FOOT WINDS......UPSLOPE/UPVALLEY 5-9 MPH BECOMING NORTHWEST AROUND 10 MPH IN THE AFTERNOON.

LAL.....1 UNTIL 1200...THEN 3.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.10 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......3 OR VERY LOW POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.

#### .TONIGHT...

SKY/WEATHER.....PARTLY CLOUDY UNTIL 2100...THEN MOSTLY CLOUDY UNTIL 2400...THEN PARTLY CLOUDY. CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS UNTIL 2400...THEN SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS.

MIN TEMPERATURE.....56-61.

24 HR TREND.....2 DEGREES WARMER.

MAX HUMIDITY......77-83 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....16 PERCENT DRIER.

HUMIDITY RECOVERY...GOOD.

20-FOOT WINDS.....SOUTH AROUND 10 MPH.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.10 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......3 OR VERY LOW POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.

## Weather Discussion

WYZ307 -SNOWY RANGE/MEDICINE BOW NF

AN UNSETTLED WEATHER PATTERN WILL KEEP FIRE WEATHER CONCERNS AT A MINIMUM THROUGH AT LEAST THE WEEKEND. MONSOON MOISTURE WILL YIELD DAILY CHANCES FOR SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS DURING THE AFTERNOON AND EVENING HOURS. WETTING RAINS ARE LIKELY FOR MANY AREAS AT SOME POINT AS STORMS WILL BE EFFICIENT RAIN PRODUCERS. TEMPERATURES WILL GENERALLY BE IN THE 75 TO 85 DEGREE RANGE FOR LOWER ELEVATIONS.

#### .TODAY . . .

SKY/WEATHER......PARTLY CLOUDY UNTIL 1200...THEN MOSTLY CLOUDY.

SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS UNTIL 1200...THEN

CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS.

MAX TEMPERATURE.....65-71.

24 HR TREND.....2 DEGREES COOLER.

MIN HUMIDITY.....30-36 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....3 PERCENT WETTER.

20-FOOT WINDS......WEST AROUND 10 MPH.

LAL.....1 UNTIL 1200...THEN 3.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.10 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......4 OR LOW POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.

#### .TONIGHT...

SKY/WEATHER......MOSTLY CLOUDY UNTIL 2100...THEN PARTLY CLOUDY.

CHANCE OF SHOWERS AND THUNDERSTORMS UNTIL
2400...THEN SLIGHT CHANCE OF SHOWERS.

MIN TEMPERATURE.....45-50.

24 HR TREND.....UNCHANGED.

MAX HUMIDITY......67-73 PERCENT.

24 HR TREND.....8 PERCENT DRIER.

HUMIDITY RECOVERY...GOOD.

20-FOOT WINDS......DOWNSLOPE/DOWNVALLEY 4-7 MPH BECOMING SOUTHWEST AROUND 10 MPH AFTER MIDNIGHT.

CHC OF WETTING RAIN.10 PERCENT.

HAINES INDEX......4 OR LOW POTENTIAL FOR LARGE PLUME DOMINATED FIRE GROWTH.